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V-1	The filing of this request constitutes under Rule 4.9(a), the designation of all Contracting States bound by the PCT on the international filing date, for the grant of every kind of protection available and, where applicable, for the grant of both regional and national patents.		
VI-1	Priority claim of earlier national application		
VI-1-1	Filing date	19 November 2003 (19.11.2003)	
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VI-1-3	Country	IT	
VII-1	International Searching Authority Chosen	European Patent Office (EPO) (ISA/EP)	
VII-2	Request to use results of earlier search; reference to that search		
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VIII-4	Declaration of inventorship (only for the purposes of the designation of the United States of America)	-	
VIII-5	Declaration as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty	-	
IX	Check list	number of sheets	electronic file(s) attached
IX-1	Request (including declaration sheets)	4	✓
IX-2	Description	8	✓
IX-3	Claims	4	<u> </u>
IX-4	Abstract	1	<u> </u>
IX-5	Drawings	7	
IX-7	TOTAL	24	
	Accompanying Items	paper document(s) attached	electronic file(s) attached
IX-8	Fee calculation sheet	-	<u> </u>
IX-17	PCT-SAFE physical media	<u>-</u>	-
IX-19	Figure of the drawings which should accompany the abstract	1	
IX-20	application	English	
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